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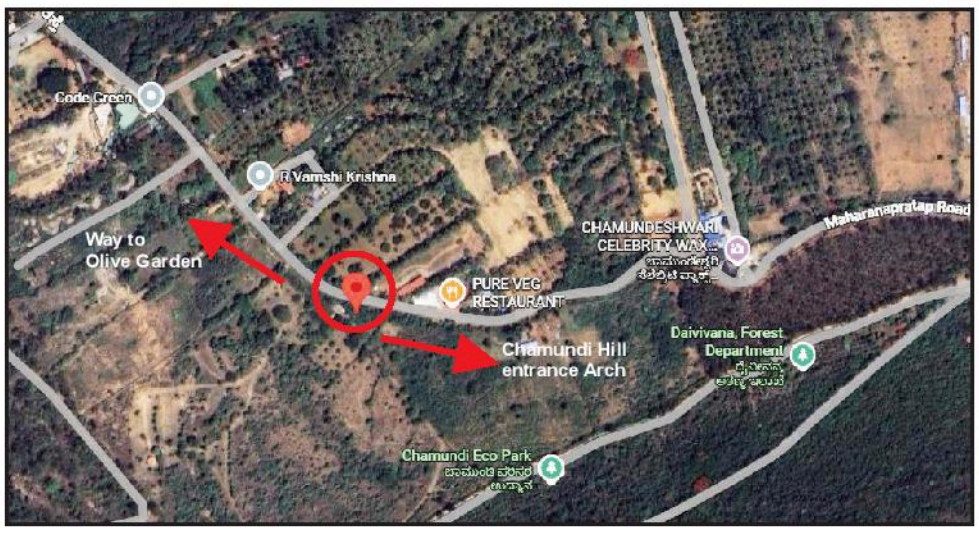
Rs. 200 cr. land grab?

MLA Srivatsa seeks probe into sale of 24.10-acre Government land at the foot of Chamundi Hill



Krishnaraja MLA T.S. Srivatsa, along with BJP leaders, seen inspecting the 24.10-acre Government land located on Maharana Pratap Singh Road near Horse Park at the foot of Chamundi Hill this morning. Picture right shows the map of the land in question.

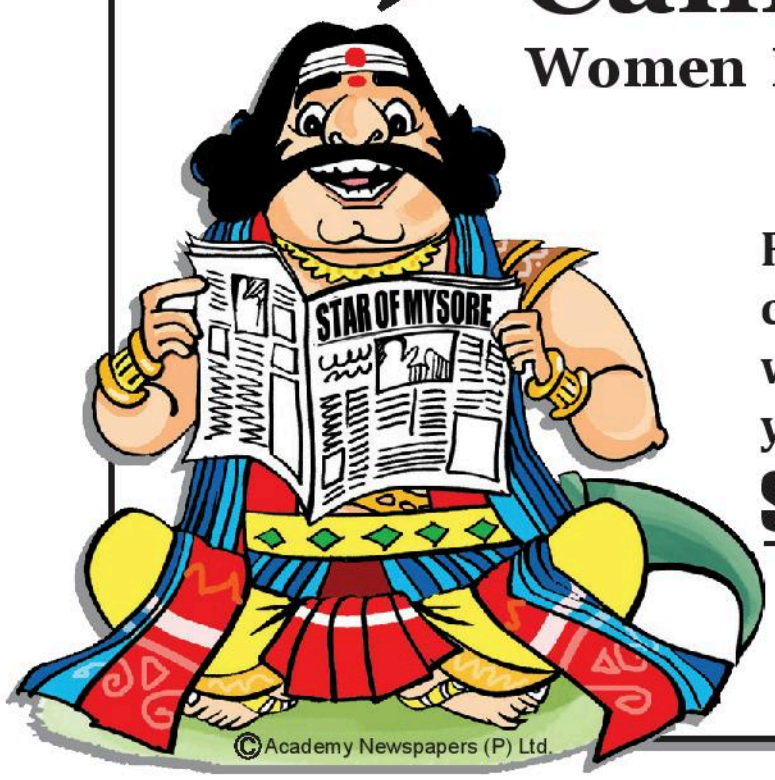
Mysuru, Mar. 5 (BLU&BCT)- Krishnaraja MLA T.S. Srivatsa has alleged a conspiracy by private individuals and officials to illegally claim ownership of Government land worth about Rs. 200 crore in Kurubarahalli Survey No. 4 in the city.

Addressing media persons at his office 'Karthavya Bhavan' in Agrahara this morning, Srivatsa said, the case dates back to 1984 and that the land has now been sold to private developers.

The MLA said, the land, measuring 24.10 acres, is located on Maharana Pratap Singh Road near Horse Park at the foot of Chamundi Hill. "It is Govt. land, but it has been sold to developers from Bengaluru with alleged collusion of certain officials and vested interests involved in land grab," he claimed.

(See LAND on page 7)

Calling all...
Women Entrepreneurs of Mysuru



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Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Thursday 5th March 2026

Sri Ravi Shankar Guruji fetes MCCI President Dr. K.B. Lingaraju

Sri Ravi Shankar Guruji seen felicitating Dr. K.B. Lingaraju** (3rd from right), **President of Mysore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MCCI) and recipient of Honorary Doctorate Degree from Karnataka State open University (KSOU), during his recent visit to the Art of Living International Centre in Bengaluru. A.K. Shivaji Rao, Honorary Secretary of MCCI, was also present on the occasion.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

BREAKING FREE FROM THE MIND'S TIME TRAVELS: ***I believe most of us recognise the feeling. You are sitting with someone you love at dinner and they are talking, really talking, looking into your eyes. But your mind is somewhere else entirely, replaying something that happened yesterday or worrying about what is coming next week. When you finally tune back in, you realise you have missed it. You missed the conversation. The moment has passed and you were not there in it.***

That is the strange toll we pay for having minds like ours. We can time-travel, but we seem unable to stop. Marcus Aurelius, emperor of Rome and apparently a man with a lot on his mind, kept a private journal in which he grappled with this very issue.

He wrote, "You have power over your own mind, not outside events." The worries we rehearse at 3 am, the old arguments we reminisce about in the shower, the distress when driving about the opportunities you missed some years ago — all of it is not happening now. All of it resides in a mind that refuses to settle. Yet, now is the only place where anything is actually real.

Think about it. The past is just a memory, your brain's best reconstruction of something that no longer exists. The future is imagination, a guess dressed up as certainty. The only moment where you are truly breathing, truly living and truly 'here' is this one. That is what the Buddhist idea of mindfulness truly stresses. It is not about sitting cross-legged and feeling calm. It is about having the courage to stop running. To accept reality as it is, rather than constantly editing it in your mind.

Most of us avoid the present moment because it requires us to face something, like asking us to actually feel things, to genuinely see people, to show up without hiding behind our phones, plans or half-formed worries.

The philosopher Simone Weil said, "Attention is the rarest form of generosity." And that true attention, which is really paying attention to another person, is one of the rarest gifts a human can give to another. Not advice. Not solutions. Just presence. I see you and I am here. When was the last time someone offered you that? When was the last time you offered it to yourself?

Maybe that is where life truly begins. It does not start with big ideas or grand gestures. It is the quiet choice to return to the table. Return to have those conversations with the cup of coffee growing cold in your hands. To be present is just now. To live in the moment. *—Anitha Ramachander in Deccan Herald*

NEWS SPARKLERS

After plastic surgery, camels unfit for show

Muscat: Camel Beauty Show Festival in Al Musanaa, Oman, was rocked by the disqualification of 20 participants last month after veterinarians ruled that they had been artificially enhanced.

Some camels had visible lip fillers, others had Botox to relax their facial muscles and some had signs of silicone implants. Other enhancements included hump inflation and growth hormone injections to increase muscle definition. Owners can make a fortune through sales and breeding rights, so the temptation to use forbidden tactics is pretty high.

Cosmetic enhancements pose serious health risks to camels as fillers can trigger chronic inflammation, hormone injections can cause imbalances and fertility problems, while Botox can interfere with chewing and drinking.

Student plays video game for 3 straight nights

New Taipei: A Taiwanese nurse recently shared the case of a university student who suffered a ruptured cerebral artery after playing games for four days straight.

The unnamed youth kept playing an online game almost continuously, with short bathroom and snack breaks. However, after four days and three nights of gaming, the youth collapsed.

He was rushed to the hospital, where he was diagnosed with a ruptured cerebral artery, which had caused massive bleeding. Doctors performed emergency surgery to save the youth's life, but their prognosis was reserved.

The student became dependent on life support and required medication to raise his blood pressure. His family kept hoping that he would eventually wake up, but after several months, they made the painful decision to let him go.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Pale Skin Is a Sign

If you notice pale skin, dizziness, or shortness of breath, do not ignore it. These may indicate anaemia.

By Dr. Giri Punja - Consultant – Haematology
Manipal Hospitals, Mysuru

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LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

City Police Commissioner accords send-off to ASI

Assistant Sub-Inspector (ASI) N.P. Nanjundaswamy, who had served for 32 years at various Police Stations and retired from service on Feb. 28, was honoured along with his wife and accorded a send-off by City Police Commissioner Seema Latkar and other Police Officers. The retired ASI is seen with his wife Nagarathna, son Yashwanth, DCP (Crime and Traffic) K.S. Sundar Raj, Vijayanagar Sub-Division ACP Ravindra and Saraswathipuram Inspector Purushotham.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM	KABINI DAM	HARANGI DAM
Maximum **124.80 feet**	Maximum **2,284 feet**	Maximum **2,859 feet**
Today's level **112.08 feet**	Today's level **2,271.03 feet**	Today's level **2,830.07 feet**
Last year's level **112.08 feet**	Last year's level **2,274.21 feet**	Last year's level **2,835.15 feet**
Yesterday's level **112.25 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,271.20 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,830.09 feet**
Today's Inflow **307 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **114 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **222 cusecs**
Today's Outflow **2,244 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **1,000 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **200 cusecs**

REALLY...?

- ***The Nilgiri tahr is a stocky, sure-footed mountain goat from India's Western Ghats, characterised by short, coarse fur, a bristly mane (especially males) and curved horns; adult males develop a distinct grey "saddleback" patch, making them darker and larger than females and they are agile climbers adapted to high-altitude grasslands.***
- ***Found in the montane grasslands (sholas) of the South Western Ghats, at elevations of 1,200 to 2,600 metres.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Shamu and Ramu went to a Provision Shop.

Shamu: *Please give me one litre tomatoes. On hearing this, Ramu laughs.*

Shamu: *Why are you laughing?*

Ramu: *Silly boy. We did not bring bottle !!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 91.61
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 122.13
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 24.94
1 Euro	= Rs. 106.37

VOICE OF THE READER

Vandals damage stone bench at Kuvempu Park

Sir,

We the elderly members of Gokulam Nagarika Abhivrudhi Sangha urge the MCC Commissioner and the Police authorities concerned to take action against vandals who damaged the stone bench at Kuvempu Park in Gokulam 2nd Stage a few days back.

The vandals have smashed the bench with a huge boulder and have discarded empty liquor bottles in the park itself.

We also request our ex-Corporator Bhagya Madesh to stop such unlawful activities by the youths in the locality.

— Members of Gokulam Nagarika Abhivrudhi Sangha
Mysuru
4.3.2026

Police must check those skipping traffic signals

Sir,

I welcome the installation of traffic signals at various junctions around Mysuru city.

Though the signals have been installed and are functioning properly, many vehicle owners, especially the two-wheelers, are not following the traffic rules at these junctions and are creating confusion for the public at large by skipping the signals.

I request the Police to look into this rampant signal skipping and regulate the traffic at the traffic signal junctions to avoid inconvenience to the motorists and pedestrians in particular.

—N.D. Shreenivaas
on e-mail
Bogadi 2nd Stage
10.2.2026

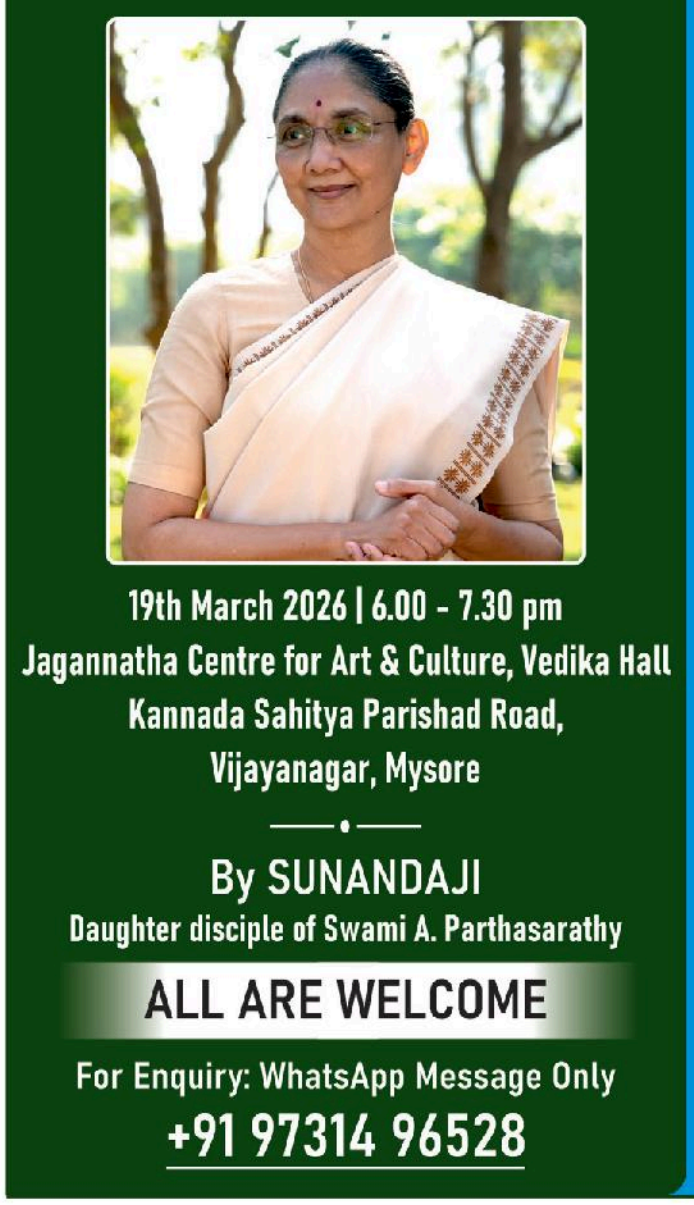
Partial cancellation of MEMU trains

Mysuru, Mar. 5- Due to engineering works at Ramanagaram Yard, the following MEMU trains will be partially cancelled:

Train No. 66580 Ashokapuram - KSR Bengaluru will run only up to Channapatna and remain cancelled between Channapatna and KSR Bengaluru today (5.3.2026).

Train No. 66579 KSR Bengaluru-Ashokapuram will start from Channapatna instead of KSR Bengaluru and r main cancelled between KSR Bengaluru and Channapatna on 6.3.2026, according to Girish Dharmaraj Kalagonda, Divisional Commercial Manager and Public Relations Officer, South Western Railway Mysuru Division.

11th Year Remembrance
Dr. R. Prabhamani
(Retd.,) Professor in History
You are deeply missed, eternally loved, and forever remembered.
With love and reverence,
Sister R. Leelamani -
Brother in law - Lakshman
Children and Daughters-in-law
Sujeendran & Sunil, Sruthi & Shana
Grandchildren-Shreevardhan & Shivaamsh.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Sunandaji, is the daughter-disciple of the internationally eminent philosopher Swami Parthasarathy. Under Swamiji's guidance, she has been studying and researching Vedanta, the ancient philosophy of India, for over three decades. Dedicating her life to the propagation of Vedanta, Sunandaji has addressed diverse audiences across five continents for over two decades.
Her clear and powerful presentation of ancient wisdom in contemporary thought has entralled audiences including premier organisations such as Young Presidents' Organisation, Harvard Business School, and Ernst & Young.

Allegations of scam in KPSC exams

Chief Secretary seeks report; KPSC Secy. denies irregularities

Bengaluru, Mar. 5 (Agencies)- Following the allegations of scam in Karnataka Public Service Commission (KPSC) exams, the results of which was announced recently, Chief Secretary to the State Government Dr. Shalini Rajneesh has sought a report from KPSC Secretary Jyothi.

Shalini

The candidates, who had appeared for KPSC exams, launched a campaign alleging irregularities, by sharing a copy of the results on 'X'.

The crux of the issue was 11 candidates, having the serial number in order, who had written the exams in the same room, eventually clearing the exams, regarding which, some of the failed candidates had raised a hue and cry.

Miffed over the repeat of alleged irregularities, such candidates have shared posts on social media, tagging the same to both the Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Prime Minister Narendra Modi, seeking their intervention. Amid this, allegation about three candidates belonging to the same family succeeding in the exams has surfaced, casting aspersions about the possible involvement of influential persons in the scam.

The candidates have demanded that, those who made an honest attempt to clear the exams should get due justice.

A Probe Committee should be constituted by the Government, or else the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) should be handed over the probe, they urged.

'Selection process will continue'

Speaking to media persons, KPSC Secretary Jyothi has clarified, *prima facie* no irregularities were found in the exams. The CCTV camera footages were examined and no suspicious activities were found there too, she clarified further, saying that a report has been already submitted to the Government.

Jyothi

Allaying the fears of successful candidates, Jyothi said, the selection process will continue, as both the exams and evaluation of answer scripts were conducted in a transparent manner. Anybody having documents to corroborate their complaints of irregularities may submit the same to facilitate probe, said Jyothi, who denied the selection of candidates belonging to same family.

KAS Mains

Adding fuel to the allegations, the seal of question paper cover of KAS Main exams had been found opened, during the exams held in May 2025. The candidates had questioned the invigilator about the discrepancy, which had been duly acknowledged by the invigilator.

Senior journalist H.K. Dua passes away at 88

New Delhi, Mar. 5- Senior journalist and *Padma Bhushan* awardee H.K. Dua, who had served as India's Ambassador to Denmark, passed away yesterday at the age of 88.

He had been admitted to a private hospital three weeks ago following illness and he breathed his last yesterday.

Dua was the former Editor-in-Chief of *The Tribune* and served as Media Adviser to former Prime Ministers H.D. Deve Gowda and Atal Bihari Vajpayee. He had also held senior editorial positions at *The Indian Express*, *The Times of India* and *Hindustan Times*.

In 2009, he was nominated to the Rajya Sabha, where he

'Padma Bhushan' H.K. Dua

participated in debates on media freedom and public policy.

He was conferred the *Padma Bhushan* in 2008 in recognition of his contributions to journalism. He was also conferred with D.Litt (Hon) by Punjab University and the Kurukshetra University.

Cremation was held at the Lodhi Road Crematorium this noon.

Woman among three go missing from city

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (KS)- In separate cases, a woman is among three persons who have gone missing from city.

In the first case, 25-year-old Arun Kumar, who left his house at Lingadevarakoppal village in Yelwal Police limits at about 10.30 am on Feb. 6, has since gone missing.

Arun Kumar

He is 5.5 ft. tall, normal built, round faced, oily red complexioned, sports beard and moustache, speaks Kannada and was wearing a black T-shirt and blue jeans pant at the time of going missing. Those having any information about Arun Kumar may contact Yelwal Police Station on Ph: 0821-2402222.

Ganesh

In the second case, Ganesh, who was residing at the APMC Quarters in Bandipalya, has gone missing since Feb. 16.

He is 5.4 ft. tall, oily red complexioned, oval faced, has the name 'Varalakshmi' tattooed on his right hand and was wearing a blue T-shirt, black jerkin and dark blue pant. Anyone having information about Ganesh may contact Mysuru South Police Station on Ph: 0821-2444955 or the District Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418612.

In the third case, 25-year-old M.R. Rakshitha, wife of Anand and a resident of Bommenahalli village in Yelwal hobli, has gone missing since Feb. 20.

Rakshitha

She is 5.6 ft. tall, oval faced, oily red complexioned, normal built, has the name 'Anand' tattooed on his left forearm and 'VR' on her right forearm and was wearing a white pant and blue top at the time of going missing.

Those having any information about Rakshitha may contact Yelwal Police Station on Ph: 0821-2402222, according to a press release.

Cops register cases against ganja addicts for creating public nuisance

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (PM&KS)- Mysuru City Police, who are acting tough on those storing, transporting, selling and consuming narcotic substances, have registered separate cases against five persons after it was confirmed that they had consumed narcotic substance and creating public nuisance in city.

In the first case, Lashkar Police, who were on their regular patrolling on Mar. 2 evening, saw a man creating nuisance by shouting and moving on Gujari Road, took him into custody and found that he had smoked ganja. The accused was subjected to medical test, where it was confirmed that he had indeed smoked ganja.

The arrested man is 32-year-old M.C. Sachin, a resident of Vidyanagar.

In the second case, Lashkar Police, on Mar. 3, took 25-year-old Anthony Santosh, an auto driver and a resident of Kirangur village in Srirangapatna taluk into custody after he was found high and wobbling on Keshava Iyengar Road in city.

The Police found that he had consumed ganja by adding it to cigarette.

In the third case, Hebbal Police, who were patrolling on Feb. 27, took 18-year-old Pavan of Hebbal into custody near Madegowda Circle on charges of smoking ganja and registered a case against him.

In the fourth case, Devaraja Police have arrested 23-year-old V. Udaykumar, a resident of Alanahalli village in Periyapatna taluk, who was found creating public nuisance on Dewan's Road.

The Police later confirmed that he had smoked ganja in a beedi and causing problems to the public.

In the fifth case, Devaraja Police, following a tip off on Mar. 2, took auto driver 23-year-old Jayanth, a resident of Kothwal Ramaiah Street 4th Cross into custody at J.K. Grounds on charges of smoking ganja and have registered a case against him.

Illegal hookah bar raided: One arrested

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (KS)- Following information from City Crime Branch (CCB) Assistant Commissioner of Police (ACP) Mohammed Shariff Rawther, city Police, on Mar. 3, raided a hookah bar and seized hookahs, tobacco packets and other raw materials besides arresting one person.

According to the press release from City Police Commissioner's Office, the Police raided Cafe Byte near Mathrumandali Circle in V.V. Puram Police limits and found that a hookah bar was being illegally run in the cafe. The cafe was being run by Sanjay, a resident of Paduvarahalli.

The Police seized hookahs, tobacco packets, other raw materials and the DVR besides arresting one person and taking two persons, who were smoking hookah.

The seized items, accused and two smokers were handed over to jurisdictional V.V. Puram Police to initiate legal action.

A case has been registered at V.V. Puram Police Station.

Obituary

S.S. Shakunthalamma

Mysuru, Mar. 5- S.S. Shakunthalamma (83), wife of retired Superintending Engineer late M.S. Shankar and a resident of Metagalli, passed away this morning at a private hospital in city.

She leaves behind one daughter, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends. A son had predeceased her sometime ago.

Last rites were held at Chirashantidhama in Gokulam this afternoon.

Rathnamma

Rathnamma (86), a resident of Ramanuja Road 12th Cross, passed away yesterday in city.

She leaves behind two sons including BJP leader Rajkumar, one daughter and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at the foot of Chamundi Hill this noon, according to family sources.

'Sustainable Development Vision for Greater Mysuru'

NIE to host day-long symposium tomorrow

Yaduveer *Asif* *Reddy* *Rakshith* *Prof. Diwakar* *Belawadi*

Mysuru, Mar. 5- The National Institute of Engineering (NIE), Mysuru, in association with the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) and Centre for Sustainability, Chanakya University, Bengaluru, is organising a one-day symposium on **"Sustainable Development Vision for Greater Mysuru"** at NIE Diamond Jubilee Complex Hall in city tomorrow (Mar. 6) from 9 am to 5 pm.

Need for the event

Mysuru is experiencing rapid urban expansion, infrastructure demands and environmental challenges. The transition towards Greater Mysuru requires structured planning, sustainable infrastructure strategies, smart mobility solutions, water resource management, environmental conservation and resilient urban systems.

This symposium provides a platform for meaningful dialogue among policymakers, academicians, industry experts and stakeholders to collectively shape a sustainable roadmap for the city's future development.

Aim of the symposium

• To discuss sustainable urban development strategies for Greater Mysuru.

• To integrate modern technologies in urban planning and infrastructure management.

• To create a collaborative platform for government officials, industry leaders and academic experts.

• To compile constructive suggestions and actionable recommendations for submission to authorities.

All discussions, expert opinions and recommendations from the symposium will be systematically documented in the form of a Symposium Report, which will be submitted to the Government of Karnataka through the Deputy Commissioner (DC) of Mysuru for consideration.

G. Lakshmikanth Reddy, Deputy Commissioner, will be the chief guest at the event. Dr. M.S. Ranganath, President, NIE-MC, will preside. Prakash Belawadi, Actor-Director, Journalist and Thought Leader; Shaju Mangalam, Head - Karnataka State Council, FICCI; Aditya M. Gokarn, Chairman and Managing Director, Triton Valves Limited; Dr. B.S. Nagendra Parashar, Principal NIE, will be the guests of honour.

Eminent speakers are: Prof. P.G. Diwakar (former ISRO scientist, Director, Centre for Sustainability, Chanakya University); Prakash Belawadi; Dr. Chinmay Hegde (Astrikos.ai); Prabhat Yadav (Cognolabs Systems P. Ltd.); Prof. Shyam Sundar (Head, CREST, NIE) and Dr. Sanjith S. Anchan (Symposium Convenor & Assistant Professor Department of Civil Engineering, NIE).

Panellist experts are: Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar, MP; Shaikh Tanveer Asif, MCC Commissioner; K.R. Rakshith, MDA Commissioner; V.N. Prasad, Urban Planner; Dr. Mahesh, Principal, Sarada Vilas College, Mysuru and Dr. K.C. Manjunath, ex-Principal, NIE.

Interested participants may register via *(https://forms.gle/6qr6TCdH891oYdVP8)* or contact Mob: 97431-24106.

Illegal Resorts

in Kabini backwaters told to seek permission: DC

H.D. Kote, Mar. 5 (BS)- Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy has said, H.D. Kote Taluk has 23 resorts, among which 20 are authorised and 3 are unauthorised, with instructions given to the latter to seek permission to run the business.

Speaking to media persons in the town yesterday, DC Reddy said, 20 resorts were built in the forest fringes adjacent to Kabini backwaters in 2017, even before they were declared as eco-sensitive zone. Three resorts came up afterwards in 2025. Hence, the management of those three resorts have been instructed to take adequate permission from Regional Commissioner's Committee. Till then, they are not authorised to run the business, the DC added.

Of the 20 resorts, six have been built encroaching upon the land acquired by Irrigation Department, which was found during the land survey. They have been issued notice to clear encroachment on their own within 15 days. Three resorts have heeded the order and cleared the encroachment, while three others remain unheeded to the order, he said.

Those who have been staging protests against the illegal resorts are also aware of the issue, as required information has been given to them, the DC said.

Assistant Executive Engineer (AEE) of Kabini, Ganesh, Survey Department Officer Arjun, Revenue Inspector Yogesh, Village Accountant Nagaraj and Police Officers were present.

House burglars held

22 grams gold jewellery, Rs. 2.28 lakh recovered

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (KS)- Mysuru District Police have arrested two house burglars, who had burgled a house and have recovered 22 grams gold jewellery and Rs. 2,28,200 cash from them. Those arrested are T.B. Raju and T.D. Abhishek, residents of Tagadur village.

On Feb. 17, one Prema, a resident of Tagadur village, approached Kavalande Police and lodged a complaint stating that on Feb. 16, burglars had broken into her house when she had gone for work and had made away with 22 grams gold jewellery and Rs. 9 lakh cash kept in the house.

The Police, who registered a case, began their investigation, traced the culprits and arrested them. Based on the information provided by the two accused, the Police recovered the stolen gold jewellery and Rs. 2,28,200 of the stolen Rs. 9 lakh cash from them.

Superintendent of Police (SP) Mallikarjun Baladandi, Additional SPs C. Mallik and L. Nagesh and Dy.SP G.S. Raghu guided Biligere Circle Inspector Y.S. Chandrashekar, In-Charge Biligere Inspector Anand, Kavalande Sub-Inspector Basavaraju and staff in the nabbing and recovery operation.

Posters of Livelihood Workshop, Swachhata Road Show released

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (MK&BS)- Posters for a workshop and exhibition aimed at empowering specially-abled persons and women were released at the Jayachamarajendra Wadiyar Hall of the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) yesterday.

Posters for the Swachhata Road Show scheduled on Mar. 8 were also unveiled. The rally is themed "Swachha Mysuru Namminda Aarambha" (Swachha Mysuru Begins From Me), will begin at Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple premises and culminate at Oval Grounds.

The rally includes Women's bike rally, bicycle rally, Mounted Police, tongas and other teams.

At Oval Grounds, awareness will be created among public on manufacturing usable products out of construction debris and management of e-waste, plastic and bio-medical waste.

Workshop: The workshop, titled 'Specially-Abled Persons and Women Towards the Path of Progress', is being organised by MCC in association with Selco Foundation, Bengaluru, tomorrow (Mar. 6) from 9.30 am to 5 pm at the Town Hall.

Regional Commissioner and MCC Administrator Nitesh Patil** (4th from right) **releasing the posters of Swachhata Road Show yesterday as MCC Commissioner Shaikh Tanveer Asif, MCCI President Dr. K.B. Lingaraju, entrepreneur D. Srihari, hotelier C. Narayanagowda and others look on.

An exhibition showcasing livelihood solutions will also be held.

Speaking on the occasion, Regional Commissioner of Mysuru Division Nitesh Patil, who is also the MCC Administrator, said the workshop seeks to encourage beneficiaries to utilise the five percent financial grant earmarked by MCC to support livelihood initiatives.

MCC Commissioner Shaikh Tanveer Asif, GSS Foundation Head D. Srihari, Mysore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MCCI) President Dr. K.B. Lingaraju, Mysuru District Hotel Owners Association President C. Narayanagowda, Director of Clean Mysuru Foundation Leela Venkatesh, Prakash Meti of Selco Foundation, researcher of environmental science H. Gopikiran, D. Sriram of GSS Projects, Member of Executive Council, CREDAI, Sridhar and others were present.

Clean sweep!

MCC launches drive to collect waste from 4,000 shops

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (BLU&BS)- As part of the Swachh Survekshan campaign, the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has launched a special drive to collect waste from commercial areas in the city.

In the first phase, the focus will be on clearing garbage from around 4,000 shops located in key business hubs in the heart of the city.

The initiative aims to prevent traders from dumping waste in public places, which, if left unattended, accumulates into unsightly heaps and affects the city's beauty.

Pourakarmikas assigned to the drive will collect waste from individual shops between 2 pm and 11 pm. The targeted areas include D. Devaraj Urs Road, Shivarampet, Santhepet, Sayyaji Rao Road, Gandhi Square, K.T. Street and Ashoka Road, among others.

Shopkeepers are also being sensitised against littering and advised to hand over their waste only to authorised garbage collectors.

According to MCC Assistant Executive Engineer Mruthyunjaya, drive is expected to cover about 4,000 shops in Central Business District (CBD).

DECODING MYTHOLOGY

Dr. Devdutt Pattanaik - Author, Speaker, Illustrator, Mythologist

Lakshmi's Elephants

The engines of economic revival

Across India, the most familiar image of prosperity is Lakshmi flanked by two elephants pouring water over her. We see this in homes, shops, banks and even in modern advertising. But few pause to ask why elephants stand beside the goddess of wealth. Why not cows, horses, lions or birds? The answer reveals an economic truth born from India's geography, ecology and long memory.

India is a monsoon land. For four months, rains descend with such force that roads turn into rivers and fields into marshes. Today we complain about potholes and floods in cities. Imagine the situation 3,000 years ago. No tar roads, no concrete embankments, no drainage systems. Villages disappeared under water, houses collapsed and trade routes vanished. Cows, horses and carts could not move. Traders sat helpless, waiting for the monsoon to end so the economy could breathe again.

But one creature thrived in this soggy world. The elephant. With its massive feet and great strength, it walked across slush with ease, crossed rivers with confidence and pushed through forests like a living bulldozer. A single elephant could create a path through dense vegetation and a group of elephants could carve a trade route. When the rains ended, it was the elephant that reconnected zones of production with distant marketplaces. Salt from the coast, metal from the hills, grain from the plains — all began moving again once elephants cleared the way.

Thus, elephants were not just majestic animals; they were engines of economic revival. They enabled trade, repaired routes and protected caravans. Their presence meant wealth could flow again. This connection between prosperity and elephants became deeply embedded in India's imagination.

Now return to the image of Gajalakshmi. Lakshmi stands serene as elephants pour water over her. Water is not merely a decorative motif; it symbolises the monsoon. The elephants represent the return of movement, the restoration of economic life. The image is a visual metaphor: prosperity arrives when you have the strength and capability to navigate the monsoon of life, to rebuild paths and to reconnect markets. The elephants are not servants; they are partners in wealth creation.

That the elephants pour water over Lakshmi also indicates their domestication. Elephants were domesticated in India around 1000 BC. The earliest evidence we have is of elephants being gifted by a king called Rompada of Anga. Anga is located in the eastern part of India, at the border of Bihar and Bengal. This is also where India's first empires rose. This is the land from where trade routes radiated out northwards towards the mountains and southwards to the Indian coasts from where ships would take India's wealth along the monsoon winds to Arabia in the west and to Java and Cambodia in the east.

In a modern organisation, the elephant represents capability. Teams that can move through difficulty, leaders who can clear obstacles, systems that function even in chaos — these are the elephants of the corporate world. When such elephants stand beside you, Lakshmi flows in your direction. Without them, even great ideas remain stuck, unable to reach the market.

The lotus pond with Lakshmi is the rich world they create and enjoy.

The image of a bejewelled Lakshmi in a lotus pond surrounded by trumpeting elephants pouring water over her first appeared in Buddhist sites, on railings around Buddhist stupas. These images were first created around 100 BC in Sanchi, Bharhut north of the Vindhyas, in the Western Ghats leading towards western coast of India and in Nagarjunakonda and Amravati in Krishna river basin near the eastern coast. Even when Lakshmi is not present, the elephants are present everywhere, indicating power and prosperity. Barabar caves gifted by Ashoka, 250 BC, have elephant imagery as do the Udaygiri-Khandagiri caves of Kharavela, 100 BC. Ashokan pillars have elephant imagery too.

Indian folk tradition also calls Lakshmi chanchala — restless, always moving. This again fits the monsoon metaphor. Water flows, fortune flows and elephants help you direct that flow.

Hence, every shopkeeper still places a coin box at the entrance and prays for elephants in the right direction — capable people, strong processes and resilient systems that can withstand the storms of business.

The image of Lakshmi flanked by elephants has endured for over 2,000 years because it captures a profound truth: wealth does not arise magically. It flows when capability meets opportunity. The elephant is capability. Lakshmi is an opportunity. Together, they shape prosperity in a monsoon world.

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Expo by Panache Styles

A day-long Fashion Expo, showcasing hand-picked designers, elegant collections and trend-forward styles, organised by Panache Styles, was inaugurated this morning at Grand Mercure on New Sayyaji Rao Road in city. Seen are** (from left)* ***Surya Suresh, Sara George, Reshma Biju from 'Tamara Tales,' Nishat Mohsin & Misba Umrean of 'Panache Styles,' Shreyasi from 'House of Yami' and Soumya Sara Jose from 'Tritva.' The expo will be open till 8.30 pm today.

Concerts at Nadabrahma Sabha

Mysuru, Mar. 5- The following concerts have been organised at Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha on JLB Road in city:

Mar. 7 - 6 pm: Smt. Gunamba Nanjaraje Urs Memorial Concert sponsored by Harin Nanjaraje Urs - **Vid. Bangalore M. Nishanth** will present a Karnatak Vocal Concert, accompanied by Vid. Keshava Mohankumar on violin, Vid. Sai Shiv Lakshmi Keshav on mridanga and Vid. Shamith Gowda on ghata.

Nishanth, a 17-year-old performer, was inducted formally to Karnatak Music under the tutelage of Vid. D.V. Nagarajan and got his advanced training under *Sangeetha Choodamani* Vid. O.S. Thiagarajan, Chennai.

Mar. 8 - 6 pm: Smt. Indiradevi Praphullachandra Memorial Concert sponsored by late Veerappa Praphullachandra - **Shruti Bode** will present 'Shivoham,' a Hindustani Vocal Music, blend of Classical & Semi-Classical, accompanied by Pt. Bhimashankar Bidanoor on tabla and Pt. Satish Bhat on harmonium.

Shruti is a talented musician with 24 years of experience. Under the guidance of Gurus Vidu. Vani Hardikar and Dr. Bharati Vaishampayan, she has become a B-High grade artiste at AIR. She gained recognition as a semifinalist on ETV Kannada's *Ede Tumbi Haaduvenu* in 2008. She is also learning music therapy under Vid. Rajam Shanker.

Rs. 200 cr. land grab?

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Case background

Explaining the background of the case, MLA Srivatsa said that the then Mysore Maharaja's General Power of Attorney (GPA) holder had granted the 24.10-acre land to Revathi Uchil.

"In 1984, Revathi Uchil wrote to the State Government stating that she intended to sell the land granted to her by the Mysore Maharaja as she had mounting debts," he said.

According to Srivatsa, the State Government rejected her request, following which she approached the Karnataka High Court. "The High Court directed the Government to resolve the issue with her and arrive at an amicable settlement," he said.

1985 notification

Later, the Government permitted Revathi Uchil to sell only 8 acres out of the total 24.10 acres and that too strictly for agricultural purposes and not for commercial use. "However, in 1985, the Mysuru Tahsildar declared the entire 24.10 acres as Government land and issued a notification," the MLA said.

He added that in 2017, Revathi Uchil's children again approached the High Court, challenging the Tahsildar's decision to declare the land as Government property. "However, the petition was later withdrawn for reasons best known to them," he said.

The matter resurfaced in 2025 when the Mysuru Tahsildar once again declared the entire 24.10-acre land as Government property. "In his order dated Aug. 4, 2025, the Tahsildar cited the 1985 Tahsildar order and directed officials to maintain the *status quo* and not permit any land conversion," Srivatsa said.

Sold to developers

Despite this, the MLA alleged that the land was registered in favour of two Bengaluru-based developers on Dec. 2, 2025, for Rs. 40 crore.

"Due to the collusion of certain officials in the Sub-Registrar's office, the land was sold even though the RTC clearly mentions in the 11th column that it is Government land, while also recording the names of Revathi Uchil and her children," he said.

Questioning the legality of the transaction, Srivatsa asked, "How can a Sub-Registrar register Government land in the name of private individuals? Officers seem to have no fear of the Government."

Probe demanded

He alleged that the case is similar to the land scams reported in the erstwhile Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA), where Government land was transferred to private individuals with official collusion.

The MLA demanded that the State Government immediately seize the 24.10-acre property and order an inquiry.

"The Deputy Commissioner and the Regional Commissioner must probe how the land was transferred to private developers. I will also raise the issue in the Assembly and bring it to the notice of the Chief Minister, Deputy Chief Minister and the Chief Secretary," he said.

Former Mayor Shivakumar, former MLA L. Nagendra, Krishnaraja BJP President Gopal Raj Urs and BJP Spokespersons Mahesh & Mahesh Raje Urs were present at the press conference.

Lokayukta Cops raid
KUWS&DB AEE in city

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (BS)- Following the complaint of owning assets disproportionate to known source of income, Lokayukta Police raided the house and office of Asif Iqbal Hussain, Assistant Executive Engineer (AEE) of Karnataka Urban Water Supply and Drainage Board (KUWS&DB), in city this morning.

This was a part of Statewide simultaneous Lokayukta raids, conducted on various officials at Bengaluru, Hassan, Mandya, Bagalkot, Gadag, Vijayapura and Yadgir districts, to name a few.

A team of Lokayukta personnel, acting under the directions of Mysuru Lokayukta Superintendent of Police (SP) T.J. Udesh, conducted simultaneous raids on AEE Hussain's office at Saraswathipuram and house on Shivaji Road, N.R. Mohalla in city.

The searches were underway at both the places, when we went to Press, with Lokayukta sleuths examining the articles and documents, belonging to Hussain.

Farmers stage protest against proposed stadium at KSIC Filature Factory land

Mysuru, Mar. 5 (MK&KS)- Over 50 farmers, under the banner of Federation of State Farmers' Associations and Karnataka State Sugarcane Growers' Association, staged a protest near the new Deputy Commissioner's Office at Siddarthanagar this morning against the proposed stadium at KSIC Filature Factory land in T. Narasipur.

Earlier, the farmers assembled near the old KMF Milk Dairy on Male Mahadeshwara Road and took out a protest march till the new DC's Office where they staged a protest and shouted slogans against the Union and State Governments. Later, they submitted a memorandum to Additional DC Dr. P. Shivaraju.

They also warned of intensifying the protest by taking out a *padayatra* from T. Narasipur to Mysuru if the State Government does not drop the stadium plan. The protest was led by Federation of State Farmers' Associations President Hallikerehundi Bhagyaraj.

Bags Chief Minister's Medal

Hunsur, Mar. 5 (KS)- **S. Vinay Kumar** of the Fire and Emergency Services Department, who displayed exemplary bravery by saving lives and properties during fire mishaps, has bagged the Chief Minister's Medal.

He is the son of Shivananju and Shantha couple, residents of Karigowda Street in the town.

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ದಿನಾಂಕ: 02.03.2026 (ಮೂರನೇ ಕರೆ)

2025–26ನೇ ಸಾಲಿಗೆ ಕಛೇರಿ ಕೆಲಸಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಂಪ್ಯೂಟರ್, ಪ್ರಿಂಟರ್ಸ್ ಯು.ಪಿ.ಎಸ್ –ಬ್ಯಾಟರಿಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ಟೀಲ್ ಅಲ್ಮೇರಾಗಳನ್ನು ಅಳವಡಿಸಲು (K/G-3) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಕೆ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ. ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ರನ್ನು ಎಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಾನಿಕ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅರ್ಹತೆಗೆ ಬೇಕಾಗಿರುವ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಅವಶ್ಯಕ ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಪತ್ರಗಳನ್ನು ಮತ್ತು ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ಕ್ಯಾನ್ ಮಾಡಿ ಆನ್‌ಲೈನ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳ ಜೊತೆಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿವುದು. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.18.23 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು, ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಲು ಇಚ್ಛಿಸುವ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾರರು ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಳನ್ನು https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾರರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅನ್ನು ಆನ್‌ಲೈನ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಡೌನ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ದಿ: 03.03.2026 ರಿಂದ, ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಕ್ವೇರಿಸ್/ಕ್ಲಾರಿಫಿಕೇಷನ್ಸ್‌ಗಾಗಿ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿ: 07.03.2026 ಸಂಜೆ 4.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, ಆನ್‌ಲೈನ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿಯೊಂದಿಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿ: 10.03.2026 ಸಂಜೆ 4.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿ: 11.03.2026 ಸಂಜೆ 4.30 ಗಂಟೆಯ ನಂತರ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಕೆ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ. ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

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MYSORE TRAIN TIMINGS

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Train No.	From Station	To Station	Mysuru Departure	Bengaluru Arrival	Days of Service
16586	Murudeshwar	KSR Bengaluru	03.45	06.25	Daily (Via MAQ,MYS)
16552	Mysuru	Chennai	05.10	07.50	Daily
16217	Mysuru	Shirdi	05.40	08.35	Monday
20676 (17326)	Mysuru	Belagavi	07.00	09.55	Daily
20663	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	06.00	07.40	Except Wed-Vande Bharat
66554	Ashokapuram	Bengaluru	06.10	09.15	Daily
16215	Mysuru	Bengaluru	06.45	09.35	Daily
22687	Mysuru	Varanasi	08.00	10.10	Tue &Thu
20623	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	08.35	11.05	Daily
56281	Chamarajanagar	KSR Bengaluru	09.05	13.13	Daily Passenger
19668	Mysuru	Udaipur	10.05	12.05	Thu - Humsafar Express
12975	Mysuru	Jaipur	10.30	12.40	Thu & Sat
12578	Mysuru	Darbhanga	10.30	13.40	Friday
12613	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	11.30	14.00	Daily
16315	Mysuru	Kochuveli	12.45	16.25	Daily
20608	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	13.05	14.45	Except Wed-Vande Bharat
17307	Mysuru	Bagalkot	13.25	16.30	Daily
66552	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	13.55	17.05	Daily Passenger
12008	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	14.15	16.05	Except Thu
20659	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	14.50	17.20	Daily
12786	Mysuru	Kacheguda	15.15	17.50	Daily
16535	Mysuru	Pandharpur	15.45	18.20	Daily
16232	Mysuru	Mayiladuturai	16.15	18.50	Daily
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	17.15	20.10	Daily
07034	Mysuru	Kakinada Town	17.20	20.55	Tue & Sat (TOD SPL)
16236	Mysuru	Tuticorin	18.20	21.05	Daily
16592	Mysuru	Hubballi	18.50	21.40	Daily
16210	Mysuru	Ajmer	20.30	23.40	Tue & Thu
16227	Mysuru	Talguppa	19.40	23.05	Daily
22681	Mysuru	Chennai	20.15	22.50	Wednesday
16022	Mysuru	Chennai	21.00	23.45	Daily
06526	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	20.40	00.05	Daily
06269	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	21.50	00.35	Daily
66580	Ashokapuram	SMVB Baiyyappanahalli	23.00	02.35	Daily
22135	Mysuru	Renigunta	23.10	01.25	Friday
22818	Mysuru	Howrah	23.55	02.05	Sunday

DEPARTING FROM KSR BENGALURU AND ARRIVING MYSURU

Train No.	From Station	To Station	Bengaluru Departure	Mysuru Arrival	Days of Service from Bengaluru
06270	SMVT Baiyyappanahalli	Mysuru	00.10	04.00	Daily
66579	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	00.30	04.05	Daily
16218	Shirdi	Mysuru	00.45	03.35	Wednesday
22817	Howrah	Mysuru	00.45	03.35	Friday
16021	Chennai	Mysuru	04.00	06.40	Daily
16228	Talguppa	Mysuru	05.05	08.20	Daily
22682	Chennai	Mysuru	05.20	07.45	Thursday
16231	Mayiladuturai	Mysuru	05.40	08.35	Daily
16591	Hubballi	Mysuru	05.55	08.55	Daily
12785	Kacheguda	Mysuru	06.20	09.30	Daily
16235	Tuticorin	Mysuru	06.35	10.20	Daily
16536	Pandharpur	Mysuru	07.30	10.45	Daily
17308	Bagalkot	Mysuru	08.05	11.45	Daily
16316	Kochuveli	Mysuru	08.25	11.15	Daily
66551	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	09.15	12.25	Daily - MEMU Passenger
20607	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	10.05	12.20	Except Wed-Vande Bharat
12007	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	10.35	13.00	Except Thu
20660	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	11.30	14.00	Daily
12976	Jaipur	Mysuru	12.50	16.00	Wed & Fri
19667	Udaipur	Mysuru	12.15	15.00	Wed - Humsafar Exp
20624	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	13.50	16.30	Daily
12614	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	15.15	17.45	Daily
56282	KSR Bengaluru	Chamarajanagar	15.35	18.35	Daily Passenger
07033	Kakinada Town	Mysuru	09.00	16.00	Mon & Fri (TOD SPL)
06525	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	16.45	19.25	Daily Passenger
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	07.25 (MYS)	09.20	Daily Exp
12577	Darbhanga	Mysuru	17.05	20.00	Thursday
20675 (17325)	Belagavi	Mysuru	17.50	20.35	Daily
16216	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	18.25	21.10	Daily
22688	Varanasi	Mysuru	18.40	21.30	Mon & Sat
66553	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	19.00	21.55	Daily - MEMU Passenger
16551	Chennai	Mysuru	20.00	22.50	Daily
16585	KSR Bengaluru	Murdeshwar	20.25	23.20	Daily
20664	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	21.30	23.30	Except Thu - Vande Bharat
22136	Renigunta	Mysuru	22.55	01.50	Saturday
16209	Ajmer	Mysuru	20.45	00.05	Fri & Sun

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Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
16206	Mysuru	Talguppa	06.00	13.25	Daily
11036	Mysuru	Dadar	06.15	05.45 next day	Sunday (Mysuru)
56266	Mysuru	Arsikere	06.30	10.25	Daily Passenger
16208	Mysuru	Yesvantpur	07.15	10.10 (Hassan)	Daily
06281	Mysuru	Arsikere	08.00	11.10	Sat
06282	Arsikere	Mysuru	13.10	18.30	Wed
16225	Mysuru	Shivamogga	10.15	16.40	Daily
16222	Mysuru	Talguppa	14.00	23.00	Daily
56268	Mysuru	Arsikere	17.45	22.00	Daily Passenger
56267	Arsikere	Mysuru	05.00	09.25	Daily Passenger
56265	Arsikere	Mysuru	17.30	21.15	Daily Passenger
12781	Mysuru	Hazrat Nizamuddin	19.30 (Fri)	18.45 (Sun)	Friday
17301	Mysuru	Belagavi	22.45	09.55	Daily
16585	Mysuru	Murdeshwar	23.40	12.55	Daily
17302	Belagavi	Mysuru	19.40	07.10	Daily
16226	Shivamogga	Mysuru	11.25	17.05	Daily
16207	Yesvantpur	Mysuru	16.55 (Hassan)	20.10	Daily
11035	Dadar	Mysuru	21.30	21.00 next day	Thursday (Dadar)
16221	Talguppa	Mysuru	05.50	15.30	Daily
16205	Talguppa	Mysuru	14.50	22.30	Daily
12782	Hazrat Nizamuddin	Mysuru	05.10 (Mon)	02.20 (Wed)	Monday
16586	Murdeshwar	Mysuru	14.10	03.30	Daily

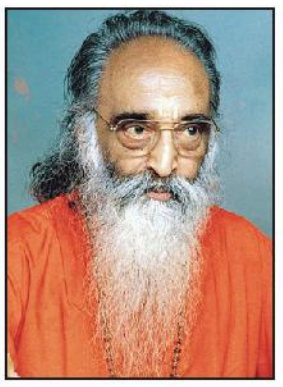
TOWARDS MYSURU TO CHAMARAJANAGAR AND BACK

Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
56202	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	05.00	06.45	Daily Passenger
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	07.25 (MYS)	09.20	Daily Exp
56210	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	08.00	10.10	Daily Passenger
56204	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	11.50	13.30	Daily Passenger
56208	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	15.40	17.20	Daily Passenger
56282	Tumakuru	Chamarajanagar	18.40	20.50	Daily Passenger
56206	Mysuru	Nanjangud Town	09.15	10.00	Daily Passenger
56201	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	04.40	06.30	Daily Passenger
56281	Chamarajanagar	Tumakuru	07.15	09.00	Daily Passenger
56207	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	10.40	12.30	Daily Passenger
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	15.50	17.05	Daily Passenger
56203	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	17.30	19.30	Daily Passenger
56209	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	21.45	23.40	Daily Passenger
56205	Nanjangud Town	Mysuru	10.25	11.15	Daily Passenger

Chinmaya Amrutha Mahotsava

'Amrutha Vahini,' carrying the Padukas of Pujya Swamy, arriving in city

Mysuru, Mar. 5- A journey of spiritual awakening that served as a beacon light, in the independent Bharata, which had just started to blink its eyes in the modern world, is completing 75 glorious years in 2026.



Swamy Chinmayanandaji

Chinmaya Movement that started on Dec. 31, 1951, at a Ganesha Temple in Pune, Maharashtra and spread across the globe, is celebrating Amrutha Mahotsava.

As part of this mega event, a vehicle named 'Amrutha Vahini,' carrying the divine Padukas of Pujya Swamy Chinmayanandaji, is travelling across the country before reaching Delhi in the month of October this year, spreading the teachings of Pujya Gurudev Swamy Chinmayanandaji.

The Amrutha Vahini is coming to Mysuru on Mar.6 and 7. On this auspicious occasion, the Mysuru centre has organised programmes at various places in city.

On Mar. 6, the programme will be held between 11 am and 1 pm at the Chinmaya Mission centre, 'Sri Gurudeva Datta Sannidhi,' #148, 6th Main, Gokulam 3rd Stage, Mysuru.

Pujya Swamy Mahamedhanandaji of Sri Ramakrishna Mission, Mysuru, will be the chief guest.

On Mar. 7, three events are planned. The first event is at 'Sri Rama Kshetra,' #91, 5th Main, Sarvajanika Hostel Road, Vidyaranyapuram, Mysuru, from 9.30 am to 10.30 am.

Mass Chanting of Hanuman Chalisa will be done during the programme.

Between 11 am and 12.30 pm, the second event will be held at 'Sri Shivananda Jnaanalaya,' Jhansi Lakshmi Bai Road, Lakshmipuram. Dr. K.L. Prasannakshi will be the chief guest on this occasion.

The main programme of this Amrutha Yatra will be held at 'Sri Sachchidananda Vilasa,' Sringeri Shankara Mutt, Fort Mohalla, Mysuru, from 5.30 pm to 7.30 pm. Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will grace this occasion.

The 15th Chapter of the Bhagavad Gita and five jewels from the Bhagavad Gita named 'Geetha Panchamritha' will be chanted in chorus by all the devotees.

RV University Mysuru hosts

Crisis Management Masterclass for Tanzanian Fire & Rescue Force

Mysuru, Mar. 5- RV University Mysuru conducted a high-impact masterclass on Crisis Management and Leadership for a 15-member Tanzanian delegation as part of the Trainee ITEC Programme: Railway Rescue Operations anchored by Indian Railway Institute of Disaster Management (IRIDM), Bengaluru.

The larger training programme was curated by Dr. B.S. Kiran, a senior Indian Railways official and faculty at IRIDM, bringing together global best practices in disaster preparedness and railway rescue operations.

Leadership Masterclass by Pro Vice-Chancellor

The masterclass was delivered by Dr. Dwarika Uniyal, Pro Vice-Chancellor and Director of RV University Mysuru, who presented a comprehensive framework on crisis management covering preparedness, rapid response, coordinated decision-making and post-crisis learning.

Dr. Uniyal emphasised the critical role of leadership under pressure, highlighting how clarity, empathy and structured command systems significantly influence outcomes during emergencies.

Delegation and participation

The Tanzanian delegation was led by Abraham Germanico Ntezidyo, Senior Superintendent and included officials involved in fire safety and rescue operations. The session facilitated active knowledge exchange, with participants sharing experiences from railway incidents and disaster response scenarios in Tanzania.

Strengthening global collaboration

The masterclass underscored RV University Mysuru's growing role as a knowledge partner in public leadership and crisis management education. The engagement also reinforced India-Tanzania co-operation in capacity building for railway safety and disaster response.

Music concert at Ganabharathi

Vidu. Yoga Kirtana *Vid. Keshav* *Vid. Aniruddha*

Mysuru, Mar. 5- Ganabharathi, Mysuru, has organised a music concert by Vidu. J.K. Yoga Kirtana at Veene Seshanna Bhavana, Adichunchanagiri Road, Kuvempunagar, on Mar. 6 at 6 pm.

She will be accompanied by Vid. Keshav Mohankumar on violin and Vid. Aniruddha Bhat on mridanga.

Vidu. J.K. Yoga Kirtana is a distinguished Karnatak vocalist and graded artiste from All India Radio (AIR) based in Bengaluru, known for her performances of classical melodies and traditional songs.

She comes from a musical and literary family, with her grandmother being the renowned Veena Vidushi, Yoga Vandana.

A disciple of Neela Ramagopal and Ramaa, she has performed at venues like Suttur Mutt and shares her music through YouTube and Instagram.

Talk on 'Background Music'

Hari Ravikumar

Mysuru, Mar. 5- Kalasuruchi has organised a talk on 'Background Music in Hollywood Cinema — The silent hero of films' in English and Kannada by Hari Ravikumar from Bengaluru at Suruchi Rangamane in Kuvempunagar on Mar. 7 at 6.30 pm.

Hari Ravikumar is a writer, translator, editor and book designer. He has translated and edited many books related to Indian culture. He is the Co-Founder of Praharsha Prakashan. He serves as a Member of the Board of Directors of Abhinava Dance Company, Rashtroththan Sahitya and Pramithi Schools. His areas of interest are music, literature and cinema. His hobbies are playing the violin and traveling to historical places.

Dazzling dance fest at KPAC

Students of Sri Ganesh Sangeetha Nrithyalaya Charitable Trust, Mysuru, under the direction of Dance Guru Aarthi Arun, performing during the 69th International Nirantara Kalemane Festival organised by Kumar Performing Arts Centre (KPAC), Mysuru, at its Kalemane Sabhaangana in Hebbal 2nd Stage on Feb. 22. Picture right shows performance by Dr. K. Kumar, K.M. Nidhi and Rishita of KPAC, Mysuru.

Students of Krishnan Performing Art Academy, Bengaluru, under Dance Guru Seema Krishnan, presenting a Kathak performance during the 69th International Nirantara Kalemane Festival in city.

Manasvi's Bharatanatyam Rangapravesha held

Mysuru, Mar. 5- The Bharatanatyam Rangapravesha (Arangetram) of N.A. Manasvi, disciple of Vidu. Dimple of KRISHNE Dance School, was held recently at Kalandhika Auditorium, Vasundhara Bhavan, Saraswathipuram, Mysuru, to a packed and appreciative audience.

The programme was attended by eminent guests including Sangeetha Kalaratna Dr. Sukanya Prabhakar (Director of Surabhi Gaana Kalamandira Charitable Trust, Mysuru), Prof. K. Ramamurthy Rao (Mysuru-based senior Bharatanatyam exponent) and Dr. Chethana Radhakrishna (Director of Gurudeva Academy of Fine Arts, Mandya), who shared their insights and encouragement from the dais.

The main highlight of the Rangapravesha was the elaborate Varnam in Bhairavi Raga and Rupaka Taala, which received special appreciation from art lovers. The audience admired the complex choreography, emotional depth and Manasvi's neat and confident execution, marking it as the centerpiece of the evening.

The performance was powerfully supported by a fantastic music ensemble, which included Vidu. Dimple on nattuvanga, Karnataka Kalashree Vid. Balasubramanya Sharma on vocal, Vid. P. Janardhana Rao on mridanga, Vid. Jayaram Kikkeri on flute and Vid. Prashanth Rudrapatna on veena.

The programme was gracefully compered by Vidu. Roopashree Madhusudan.

WORD OF THE DAY

Spiel

Pronunciation: SPEEL (noun)
Meaning: A spiel is a fast speech that someone has often said before and that is usually intended to persuade people to buy something or to agree to something.
Origin: Here's our spiel on spiel: it's well-known as a noun and you may also be aware that spiel can be used as a verb meaning "to talk extravagantly," but did you know that the verb can also mean "to play music"? That, in fact, is the word's original meaning, and one it shares with its German root, spielen. Spiel is also found in glockenspiel, the name of a musical instrument similar to the xylophone.
Example: "We were in a hotel and when he and his publicist exited one door of the suite, I slipped out the other to meet him at the elevator. I gave him my spiel about the film and handed him a rough cut on VHS. He said, 'Alright, we'll take a look.'" —Ed Burns, quoted in The Hollywood Reporter, 21 Jan. 2026.

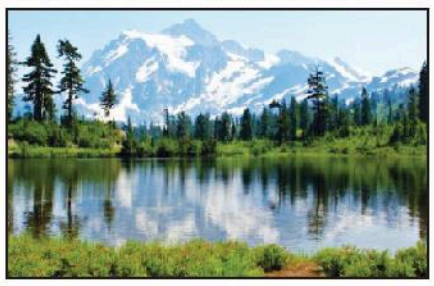
THE ODD WORD

Abasement

Action of humbling or degrading.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

A picture paints a thousand words



Meaning: You use the phrase 'A picture paints a thousand words' to indicate that a picture or impression can express a complex idea in the same way a large amount of descriptive text can.
Origin: A similar expression to 'A picture paints a thousand words' first appeared in a 1911 newspaper article quoting editor Arthur Brisbane's discussion of journalism and publicity: "Use a picture. It's worth a thousand words." During the discussion, Brisbane was making a clear-cut case for the use of images to accompany stories.
Example: "Wow, this photograph really is amazing. A picture paints a thousand words!"

QUOTE BOX

Don't grieve. Anything you lose comes round in another form.—**Rumi**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

ABCDEFGHIJKLM
NOPQRSTVWXYZ

Answer: Missing you (no U in the alphabet)

SUDOKU

	4		3		2			
5							9	
				5				8
2		4		8		6		
	1		2		9		5	
		8		1		7		9
3				2				
	2							6
			7		1		3	

Answer to previous puzzle

2	4	6	7	8	1	5	9	3
3	8	9	5	2	4	1	6	7
7	1	5	3	9	6	2	4	8
8	9	7	1	4	3	6	5	2
6	2	4	8	7	5	9	3	1
1	5	3	9	6	2	8	7	4
4	6	1	2	3	9	7	8	5
9	7	2	4	5	8	3	1	6
5	3	8	6	1	7	4	2	9

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

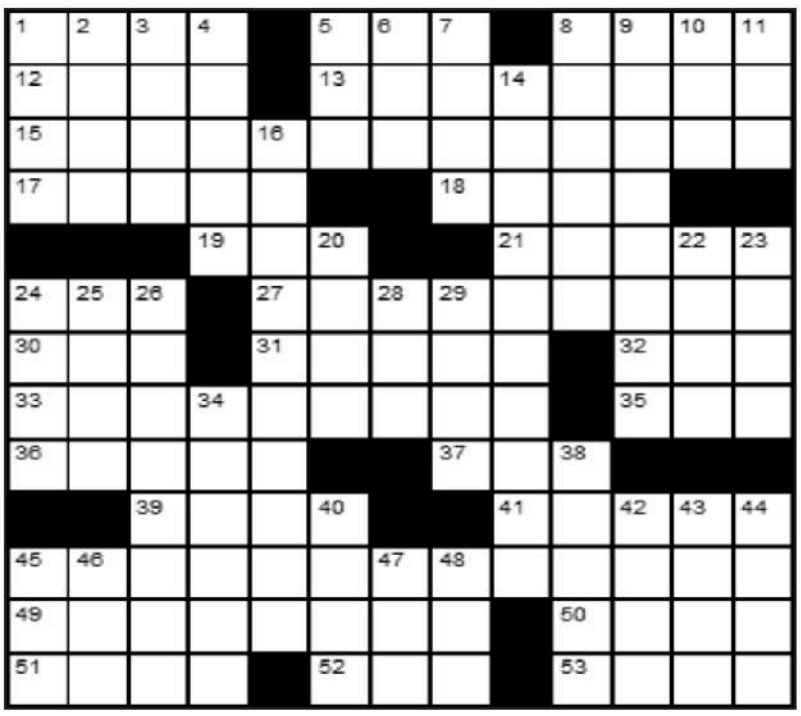
1 Army Photographic Intell. Serv.
5 Part of verb to be
8 Outer garment
12 Dollar
13 Parisian university
15 Decorative adornment
17 A female demon - "a mail" anagram?
18 Compact by pounding
19 Fruit kernel
21 Leaving
24 VT now
27 Multi-dimensional
30 Regional Airline Assoc.
31 It's a __ : it is depressingly dismal?
32 KGB's Cold War foe
33 Large group of musicians
35 One of the `little people'
36 Provide food
37 Direct to home, abbr.
39 Coloured portion of the eye
41 Atmospherically moist
45 Purify
49 Loud, resonant, metallic sound
50 Reduce or pare
51 Complaints, problems or maladies?
52 Acute Resp. Infection
53 Auld Lang ___ : days of long ago ?

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

A	P	S	E	■	A	G	O	G	■	S	P	A
D	A	L	I	■	R	A	H	U	■	P	A	R
A	S	A	D	■	A	D	O	R	N	I	N	G
■	S	T	E	W	S	■	■	T	A	N	G	O
R	A	T	R	A	■	■	O	U	R	■	■	■
E	W	E	■	D	I	L	L	■	I	N	C	H
A	A	R	■	I	B	S	E	N	■	O	R	A
M	Y	N	A	■	E	D	G	Y	■	B	U	T
■	■	■	C	L	X	■	■	E	L	L	I	E
D	I	S	H	Y	■	■	S	T	I	E	S	■
A	D	H	E	R	E	N	T	■	A	M	E	S
N	E	O	■	I	P	S	O	■	N	A	R	K
K	E	W	■	C	R	E	W	■	A	N	S	I

DOWN

1 The son that Adam and Eve lost because of fratricide?
2 American cat
3 Weapon in a silo, for short
4 Coil of yarn
5 Above sea level
6 French monarch
7 Formerly - "rest" anagram?
8 Mutual or shared
9 Type of garment (3-5)
10 Girl's name
11 9th letter of the Hebrew alphabet
14 Another name for Ganges
16 Washing and ironing?
20 Craggy hill-tops
22 Fixing pin
23 Tennis ace Steffi
24 Swamp critter
25 Ms Ali Khan of Bollywood
26 Of ___ importance : of strategic value?
28 It divides the tennis court in two parts
29 Fat
34 Wading birds
38 Stalks wild life
40 "Oats" anagram for a type of portico?
42 Mother ___ : the revered one for the Catholics?
43 Get _ _ writing (2,2)
44 Greek township - "meed" anagram?
45 601 in Roman numerals
46 Old English measure or the right-angled letter?
47 Bollywood's Raja __ Rank
48 Imaging technique used as a diagnostic aid



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

GLIS DNSNFWKC WX XL WJRSWJXWZ RL GLIS CPJRNE DSLZPXX

RBNR GLI NSP BNSFEG NTNSP LO WRX PMWXRPJZP, IJRWE GLI RSG

RL ZLCCIJWZNRP TWRB XLCPLJP TWRB N FWOOPSPJR DNSNFWKC.

TODAY'S CLUE: I EQUALS U

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: The key to whatever success I enjoy today is: Don't ask. Do.

SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

- **Sangam Theatre** — **Ph: 2520494**
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- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** — **Mob: 99008-20093**
  Hayagrriva (K) - 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** — **Ph: 2521923**
  Fourth Floor (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Woodlands Theatre** — **Ph: 2422871**
  The Rise of Ashoka (K) - 4 Shows
- **Gayathri Theatre** — **Ph: 2443568**
  Super Hit (K) - 4 Shows
- **Prabha Theatre** — **Mob: 98454-14691**
  Suri Anna (K) - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** — **Ph: 2420885**
  Veera Kambala (K) - 4 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** — **Ph: 2423554**
  Thaai Kizhavi (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** — **Mob: 98863-25207**
  O' Romeo 3 (H) - 3 Shows

MOVIES AT DRC CINEMAS Ph: 4240422 4241800

Super Hit (K)	(S-1)	10.30 am, 1.20 pm
The Kerala Story 2 Goes Beyond (H)	(S-1)	4.15 pm, 7 pm, 9.50 pm
	(S-2)	10.30 am
Theri (Ta)	(S-2)	1.15 pm
Scream 7 (E)	(S-2)	4.30 pm, 7.10 pm
Vishnu Vinyasam (Te)	(S-2)	9.50 pm
Kanna Muche (K)	(S-3)	10.45 am
Veera Kambala (K)	(S-3)	1.10 pm
The Rise of Ashoka (K)	(S-3)	4.20 pm; (S-4) 10.30 am
Son of (Te)	(S-3)	7.15 pm
Masthishka Maranam (Ma)	(S-3)	9.50 pm
Rakkasapuradol (K)	(S-4)	1.15 pm
Hayagrriva (K)	(S-4)	4 pm, 9.45 pm

MOVIES AT MYSURU VISION CINEMAS Ph: 2973519

The Rise of Ashoka (K)	:	1.15 pm, 4.15 pm, 7.30 pm
Super Hit (K)	:	1.20 pm, 4.30 pm, 7.15 pm
Sarala Subbarao (K)	:	1.30 pm
Kanna Muchhe (K)	:	4.45 pm
Thaai Kizhavi (Ta)	:	7.30 pm

MOVIES AT NEXUS MALL

Scream 7 (E)	:	11.20 am
		5.25 pm
		10.30 pm
Theri (Ta)	:	12 noon
Alpha Men Love Vengeance (K)	:	12.20 pm
Super Hit (K)	:	1.25 pm
		7.25 pm
The Rise of Ashoka (K)	:	3.05 pm
		9 pm
Veera Kambala (K)	:	3.15 pm
Arco (French)	:	3.20 pm
Rakkasapuradol (K)	:	4.15 pm
Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind (E)	:	5 pm
O' Romeo (H)	:	6.25 pm
Masthishka Maranam (Ma)	:	6.55 pm
Zootopia 2 (E-3D)	:	8 pm
Thaai Kizhavi (Ta)	:	10 pm
Tere Naam (H)	:	10.15 pm

MOVIES AT GARUDA MALL

The Rise of Ashoka (K)	:	12 noon, 6.10 pm
Scream 7 (E)	:	1.05 pm, 6.40 pm
Veera Kambala (K)	:	3 pm
Thaai Kizhavi (Ta)	:	3.40 pm
Super Hit (K)	:	5 pm, 9 pm
Rakkasapuradol (K)	:	7.50 pm
Vishnu Vinyasam (Te)	:	9.15 pm

EVENTS TODAY (MARCH 5)

- **Indian Dastkaar Handloom & Handicraft Haat:** Exclusive exhibition on Handlooms, Handicrafts & Lifestyle products, Scouts & Guides Ground, behind Old DC's Office, **up to 9.30 pm.**
- **Panache Styles, Mysuru:** Fashion exhibition, Grand Mercure, Sayyaji Rao Road, Bamboo Bazar, **up to 8.30 pm.**
- **Sri Raghavendraswamy Seva Samiti:** Special Discourse on 'Rukmiksha Vijaya' by Vid. Kheda Vedavyasachar, Sri Raghavendraswamy Mutt, Jayalakshmipuram, **5 pm.**
- **Parampare and Sudharma - Sanskrit Daily Newspaper:** Lectures on 'Paduka Sahasram of Sri Vedanta Desika (1269- 1369)' by eminent Sanskrit Scholar **Vid. Dr. H.V. Nagaraja Rao,** BSS Vidyodaya auditorium, Krishnamurthypuram, **6 pm to 8 pm.** [Mob: 99860-37311]

EVENTS TOMORROW (MARCH 6)

- **National Institute of Engineering (NIE), Mysuru, Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry, Centre for Sustainability, Chanakya University, Bengaluru and Triton Valves Limited:** One-day Symposium on 'Sustainable Development Vision for Greater Mysuru,' DC G. Lakshmikanth Reddy chief guest, Actor-Director Prakash Belawadi, FICCI Karnataka State Council Head Shaju Mangalam and Triton Valves Limited Chairman & MD Aditya M. Gokarn guests of honour, NIE-MC President Dr. M.S. Ranganath presides, Diamond Jubilee Complex, NIE, Manandavadi Road, **9.30 am.**
- **Government College of Nursing - Mysore Medical College & Research Institute (MMC&RI):** Lamp Lighting and Oath Taking Ceremony of 14th Batch of First Year B.Sc Nursing students (2025-26), Platinum Jubilee Hall, J.K. Grounds, **10 am.**
- **Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) and SELCO Foundation:** Public informative expo on Products Packaging, Branding, Marketing, Modern Equipment, Solar Based Machinery etc., Town Hall, **10 am.**
- **Indian Dastkaar Handloom & Handicraft Haat:** Exclusive exhibition on Handlooms, Handicrafts & Lifestyle products, Scouts & Guides Ground, behind Old DC's Office, **10.30 am to 9.30 pm.**
- **Gandhi Shilp Bazaar:** 152nd Handicrafts Exhibition and Sale, SP Mallikarjun Baladandi inaugurates, **4 pm;** Expo, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Mysuru, **10.30 am to 9 pm.**
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- **Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya, Mysuru:** Experiential presentation by **Dr. Mohit Dayal Gupta,** Interventional Cardiologist, Professor, Researcher, TEDx Speaker, Consciousness and Leadership Speaker, on 'The Power of One Thought,' Gyan Prakash Bhavan, Yadavagiri, **6.30 pm.**

MOVIES AT MALL OF MYSORE

Super Hit (K)	:	1.15 pm
		7.10 pm
The Rise of Ashoka (K)	:	1.30 pm
		4.20 pm
		9.30 pm
Scream 7 (E)	:	3.50 pm
		10 pm
Thaai Kizhavi (Ta)	:	4.05 pm
Rakkasapuradol (K)	:	7.05 pm
Athadu (Te)	:	9.45 pm

MOVIES AT CENTRO MALL

Kanna Muchhe (K)	:	12.45 pm
The Rise of Ashoka (K)	:	1 pm
		7.10 pm
Veera Kambala (K)	:	1.20 pm
Scream 7 (E)	:	3.50 pm
		9.30 pm
Rakkasapuradol (K)	:	4.30 pm
Masthishka Maranam (Ma)	:	6.25 pm
Super Hit (K)	:	6.25 pm
Fourth Floor (Ta)	:	10 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there is no minimum audience of 15.

Story-telling

Megha Sameera

Mysuru, Mar. 5- As part of 'Kathe Kelona Banni-922,' Kalasuruchi, Mysuru, has organised story-telling by Megha Sameera, well-known Actor, Director, Theatre Person & Principal, Natana Rangashale, Mysuru, at Suruchi Rangamane, #476, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar, on Saturday (Mar. 7) from 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm.

For details, contact Mob: 92435-81097 or 99459-43115.

Megha Sameera holds Post-Graduate degrees in both English and Dramatics. With 28 years of theatre experience, starting from his childhood, Megha has worn many hats, including actor, music director, technical director, costume designer and illumination expert.

His versatility and dedication have led him to direct numerous plays catering to both young and mature audiences. Megha has been a valuable resource person at theatre workshops and panel discussions. His extensive experience and multifaceted expertise make him a pivotal figure in the theatre community.

Sri Yoginareyana Yatindra Jayanti

Mysuru, Mar. 5- Kannada and Culture Department, Mysuru, Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) and Sri Yoginareyana Yatindra Jayantotsava Samiti have jointly organised Sri Yoginareyana Yatindra (Kaiwara Thathaiah) Jayanti at Kalamandira on Hunsur Road in city on Mar. 8 at 12 noon.

District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa will inaugurate the event. MLA K. Harishgowda will preside. Hiriyur's Shabdavedhi Weekly Editor Prof. H.S. Narasimhaiah will deliver a talk.

Earlier, a procession will be taken out from Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple at the Palace North Gate at 9 am.

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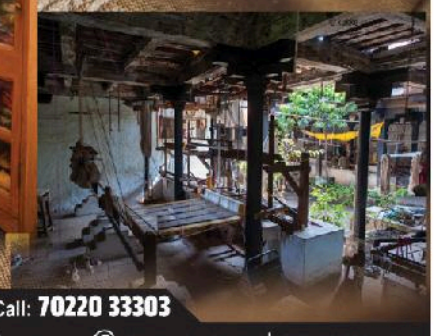
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